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UNITED STATES AIR FORCE BOARD FOR CORRECTION OF MILITARY RECORDS

RECORD OF PROCEEDINGS

IN THE MATTER OF:

DOCKET NUMBER: BC-2022-01324

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COUNSEL: NONE

HEARING REQUESTED: NO

APPLICANT'S REQUEST

The date of birth (DOB) on his DD Form 214, *Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty*, be corrected.

APPLICANT'S CONTENTIONS

The DOB recorded on his DD Form 214 is an administrative error.

The applicant's complete submission is at Exhibit A.

STATEMENT OF FACTS

The applicant is a retired Air Force technical sergeant (E-6).

The applicant served in the Air Force from 25 Feb 75 to 28 Feb 95 with a DOB recorded differently than the DOB on his DD Form 214.

On 20 Jan 09, the applicant was issued an amended certified birth certificate, which indicates a different DOB from the DOB on the applicant's DD Form 214.

For more information, see the excerpt of the applicant's record at Exhibit B.

APPLICABLE AUTHORITY/GUIDANCE

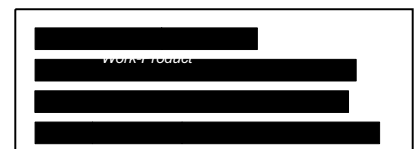
AFI 36-2608, *Military Personnel Records System*, Table A7.5 (Correction to Date of Birth), Note 3, provides as follows: Do not correct records of former members unless evidence proves the date of birth used while serving with the Air Force was erroneously recorded. Required proof is an unaltered original document from the jurisdiction of the applicant's birth, showing the applicant's name and date of birth.

FINDINGS AND CONCLUSION

1. The application was not timely filed, but it is in the interest of justice to excuse the delay.
2. The applicant exhausted all available non-judicial relief before applying to the Board.

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3. After reviewing all Exhibits, the Board concludes the applicant is the victim of an error. The Board finds the applicant's the date of birth used while serving with the Air Force was erroneously recorded. Therefore, the Board recommends correcting the applicant's records as indicated below.

RECOMMENDATION

The pertinent military records of the Department of the Air Force relating to APPLICANT be corrected to show the DD Form 214, *Certificate of Release or Discharge from Active Duty*, issued in conjunction with the 28 Feb 95 discharge, be changed to reflect the correct DOB in Block 5.

CERTIFICATION

The following quorum of the Board, as defined in Air Force Instruction (AFI) 36-2603, *Air Force Board for Correction of Military Records (AFBCMR)*, paragraph 1.5, considered Docket Number BC-2022-01324 in Executive Session on 19 Jan 23:

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All members voted to correct the record. The panel considered the following:

Exhibit A: Application, DD Form 149, w/atchs, dated 18 Apr 22.

Exhibit B: Documentary Evidence, including relevant excerpts from official records.

Taken together with all Exhibits, this document constitutes the true and complete Record of Proceedings, as required by AFI 36-2603, paragraph 4.11.9.

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Board Operations Manager, AFBCMR

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